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STUDENT SENATE

S13RS

SGFB No. 7

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A FINANCE BILL

TO ALLOCATE A MAXIMUM OF ONE-THOUSAND FOUR-HUNDRED AND ZERO CENTS (\$1,400.00) FROM THE SENATE CONTINGENCY TO THE LSU CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL STUDENT SPEECH LANGUAGE HEARING ASSOCIATION (NSSLHA) FOR FLIGHTS TO ATTEND THE AMERICAN SPEECH-LEARNING-HEARING ASSOCIATION (ASHA) 2013 CONVENTION IN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

PARAGRAPH 1: WHEREAS, THE NATIONAL STUDENT SPEECH LANGUAGE HEARING ASSOCIATION WAS FOUNDED IN 1972 AS A PRE-PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS INTERESTED IN THE STUDY OF COMMUNICATION SCIENCE AND DISORDERS, AND;

PARAGRAPH 2: WHEREAS, NSSLHA IS THE ONLY OFFICIAL NATIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION RECOGNIZED BY THE AMERICAN SPEECH-LEARNING-HEARING ASSOCIATION (ASHA), AND;

PARAGRAPH 3: WHEREAS, NSSLHA HAS ABOUT 13,000 MEMBERS AND MORE THAN 300 LOCAL CHAPTERS IN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES LOCATED INTERNATIONALLY, AND;

PARAGRAPH 4: WHEREAS, THE AMERICAN SPEECH-LEARNING-HEARING ASSOCIATION (ASHA) IS THE NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CREDENTIALING ORGANIZATION FOR PROFESSIONALS IN COMMUNICATION SCIENCES AND DISORDERS, REPRESENTING AUDIOLOGISTS, SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS, MEMBERS, INTERNATIONAL AFFILIATES AND SPEECH, LANGUAGE AND HEARING SCIENTISTS – MORE THAN 145, 481 PROFESSIONALS IN ALL, AND;

PARAGRAPH 5: WHEREAS, THE LSU CHAPTER OF NSSLHA HAS REMAINED IN ACTIVE STATUS ON THIS CAMPUS FOR OVER THIRTY-FIVE YEARS, AND;

PARAGRAPH 6: WHEREAS, THE SEVEN OF THE NINE EXECUTIVE OFFICERS ATTENDING THIS CONFERENCE FROM NOVEMBER 14TH, 2013 TO NOVEMBER 16TH WILL BE ACTING AS REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE ENTIRE LSU COMMUNICATION DISORDERS COMMUNITY, AND;

PARAGRAPH 7: WHEREAS, ATTENDING THIS CONVENTION IN CHICAGO, IL WILL PROVIDE FOR THE SEVEN OFFICERS A PLETHORA OF KNOWLEDGE AND RESOURCES CONCERNING FIELD WORK, RESEARCH METHODS, GRADUATE STUDIES AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES THAT WILL THEN BE SHARED WITH ALL MEMBERS OF THE LSU CHAPTER OF NSSLHA AND OTHER STUDENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT, AND;

PARAGRAPH 8: WHEREAS, THE SEVEN ATTENDING MEMBERS OF THE LSU NSSLHA CHAPTER REQUEST THE SUM OF \$1,400.00 TO PAY FOR HALF THE ESTIMATED COST OF AIR TRAVEL FROM NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA TO CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, AND;

PARAGRAPH 9: WHEREAS, THE ESTIMATED TOTAL COST OF ROUNDTrip AIRFARE FOR SEVEN PERSONS AS OF TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2013 IS APPROXIMATELY \$3,100.00 FROM NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA TO CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, AND;

PARAGRAPH 10: WHEREAS, THE PRICE WOULD BE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS:
7 PERSONS ATTENDING
\$200 PER PERSON TO PAY FOR HALF OF THE ESTIMATE AIRFARE
 $7 \times \$200.00 = \$1,400.00$

PARAGRAPH 11: THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED BY THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY AND AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE STUDENT SENATE THAT A MAXIMUM OF ONE-THOUSAND FOUR-HUNDRED AND ZERO CENTS (\$1,400.00) BE ALLOCATED TO THE LSU CHAPTER OF THE NATION STUDENT SPEECH LANGUAGE HEARING ASSOCIATION (NSSLHA) TO ATTEND THE AMERICAN SPEECH-LEARNING-HEARING ASSOCIATION (ASHA) 2013 CONVENTION IN CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, AND

PARAGRAPH 12: THIS BILL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A TWO-THIRDS ($\frac{2}{3}$) VOTE OF THE LSU STUDENT SENATE AND SIGNATURE BY THE PRESIDENT, UPON LAPSE OF TIME FOR PRESIDENTIAL ACTION, OR IF VETOED BY THE PRESIDENT AND SUBSEQUENTLY APPROVED BY THE SENATE, ON THE DATE OF SUCH APPROVAL.

Approved:

Alex W. Grashoff
Speaker of the Senate

John S. Woodard
Student Body President

Date:_____

Date:_____